

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 125.003USR1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

James Leroy Snell

Serial No.:

10/005,483

Filed:

November 9, 2001

For:

HIGH DATA RATE SPREAD

SPECTRUM TRANSCEIVER AND

ASSOCIATED METHODS

Group Art Unit: 2631

Examiner: Not Assigned

DECLARATION OF ELIZABETH A. BAUER

I, Elizabeth A. Bauer, state as follows:

- 1. I am a paralegal employed by Fogg Slifer Polglaze Leffert & Jay, PA, attorneys for Intersil Americas Inc., the assignee of the present application.
- 2. On May 16, 2002, I sent a letter together with a reissue application, preliminary amendment and declaration in the above referenced reissue proceedings to the inventor, James Leroy Snell, via Federal Express shipment. The letter requested him to review the documents, execute the declaration and return them to me promptly. A copy of this letter is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- On May 17, 2002, I received confirmation from Federal Express via email that the Federal Express shipment had been delivered to Mr. Snell and signed for or released by "J. Snell" on May 17, 2002. A copy of this email is attached hereto and marked Exhibit B.

- 3. On June 19, 2002, after several unsuccessful attempts, I spoke to Mr. Snell by telephone at his home in Palm Bay, Florida. I asked Mr. Snell whether he had received the reissue application, preliminary amendment and declaration documents via the Federal Express envelope I sent to him on May 16, 2002. Mr. Snell confirmed to me that he had, in fact, received the reissue application, preliminary amendment and declaration documents. Mr. Snell however informed me that he was unwilling to sign the reissue application, declaration and assignment documents. Mr. Snell told me that the reason why he was unwilling to sign the application is that he found the language of the inventor's declaration to be "threatening."
- 4. I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Elizabeth A. Bauer

1 Date







SENT VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

James L. Snell 2695 Lemon Street NE Palm Bay, FL 32905

RE: Intersil Reissue Application 125.003USR1

U.S. Patent No. 5,982,807

HIGH RATE SPREAD SPECTRUM TRANSCEIVER AND ASSOCIATED

METHODS

Dear Mr. Snell:

Attached is a copy of the Reissue application which includes a Preliminary Amendment and a copy of the U.S. Patent 5,982,807 that was filed on November 9, 2001 in regard to the above-referenced matter. You are the sole inventor on this application. Please review the Preliminary Amendment, sign and date the Declaration where indicated and return the executed Declaration to me in the enclosed Federal Express envelope.

If you should have any questions or comments please contact me at 612-312-2231.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth A. Bauer

Paralegal -

cc: Paul Bernkopf, Esq.

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